

Some Future President.

Some future President or President of this vast republic are at present in the school room. They are receiving instruction in the primary grades, they will go straight forward to the high school and perhaps from there to college. A future President of the United States is somewhere playing baseball this spring, and he may be on a foot ball team next autumn. It is quite possible that he is a boy from the farm; or he may be in a town, doing errands for his mother and at spare times earning pennies to help her along. Our Presidents have been drawn from every social rank in the community. They have a great variety of training in boyhood, but every one of them had to be a boy. A President does not come into the world a grown man. Our great men of the world do not escape the universal lot, but start from the cradle and are taught their first lesson at their mother's knee. We formerly held up to every American boy, as a glittering prize to stir his ambition the possibility that he might one day be elected to the presidential chair. Latterly, perhaps we hear less about this legitimate goal which boyhood may strive to attain. Why not let the boys do their best in school, at home, in business, with the thought that one day the grown-up boys shall single some of them out and ask him to be their leader, their commander, the head of their government in the eyes of the world? A king is born to his high station; a President achieves it. Teachers and parents should do their best, remembering how great is their responsibility to the nation as well as to the boys. —Christian Herald.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon is against woman's suffrage. If the women get after the Speaker in earnest, as they probably will now, it will be interesting, to say the least. The men have so far been unable to oust him from his official position and it remains to be seen what the fair sex will do along this line.—Winston Sentinel.

For it is a very true saying that man's happiness lies within himself. The joys which heaven bestows upon him only make him happy when they are rightly used; and the bitterness and sorrow which fate may allow him to experience, it is in his own power greatly to alleviate.—Von Humboldt.

Nobody has any right to find life uninteresting or unrewarding who sees within the sphere of his own activity a wrong he can help to remedy or within himself and evil he can hope to overcome. —President Eliot.

The Philadelphia says that the best "missionaries in the Chinese quarters of New York and other cities are the sturdy and courageous members of the police force. And these sturdy men will hereafter act in lieu of women missionaries.—Winston Journal.

Womanhood is only safe morally where manhood is sound morally. No amount of fine theorizing or the application of regulative experiments can keep the sexes from relating or falling together. —Selected.

We already have the "unwritten law," "moral law," etc., but the lawyers in the Biograph in Charlotte have certainly sprung a new one on us—"moral insanity." What next?—Winston Times.

Some people act as if they were afraid to forget their names. They talk about it all the time. —Selected.

Wants a Dad's Day.

The Kansas City Journal says that much has been heard of late in Kansas towns about "Mother's Day," and several editors are hollering that father should come to the bat with a "Dads' Day." The Journal facetiously asks, "should they have it? By all means. Give the old man his chance at the bat. Let him cavort in his \$10 hand-me-down suit, his last summer's straw hat, and his bargain-counter brogans. Of course he looks pretty bum in that raiment alongside of daughter with her \$25 inverted flour barrel top piece, her \$50 gown with the waist at the knees, her French heeled patent pumps, and the rest of the stuff that goes with glad feminine decorations. But he is 'lad' nevertheless. 'Ma,' with her 500 clubs, her bridge parties, her pink teas, and her cut glass society will certainly step back for one day and let the old man realize for a short 24 hours that 'every dad has his day.'"

The acquittal of Biggers in Charlotte was what we expected after reading the proceedings of the trial from day to day. The public sentiment of Charlotte was practically all for Biggers. We are reliably informed that when a lawyer for the prosecution would speak before the jury the court house would be largely emptied of hearers, and when a lawyer spoke for the prisoner, there was a crowded court house. It looks like capital punishment is going out of date.—Catawba County News.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Fletcher*

In the Biggers trial Charlotte has sprung the "confusionat insanity." Don't know how it applies to the accused, but it likely covers precisely the case of those who have tried to solve Lawyer McClammy's three thousand word hypothetical question.—Wilmington Dispatch.

A Thrilling Rescue, How Bert R. Leap, of Cheny, Wash., was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold" he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid \$10 to \$15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For lung trouble, bronchitis, coughs and colds, asthma, croup and whooping cough it's supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

What terrible destruction there would be if men kicked as hard physically as they do mentally.

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NOTICE.

North Carolina, Watauga County. Emellae Shull vs. John Shull, Under and by virtue of an execution issued to me by Thos. Bingham, Clerk of the Court of Watauga in the above entitled action on April 22, 1909, I will offer for sale at public outcry at the court house door in Boone, North Carolina, on the first Monday in August 1909, the same being the 2nd day of said month, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., the following described real estate, namely: Lying and being on the waters of Watauga river, in Watauga county, N. C. Beginning on a spanish oak, on top of the ridge, then south a condition al line between William Shull and John Shull, then northwest with the conditional line to the outside line of the original tract, then north 10° east 30 poles to a gum, corner of said tract, then to the beginning, being the tract conveyed by William Holclaw to the said John Shull. Said sale will be made to satisfy said judgment, and interest and cost on the same. This June 23rd, 1909. D. J. HAGAN, Clerk.

BANK STATEMENT.

Following is the report of the condition of the Watauga County Bank at Boone, N. C., in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$38,657.05
Overdrafts secured	72.29
Over drafts unsecured	460.42
Banking house	1,804.11
Furniture and fixtures	640.55
Due from banks and banks	
kings	15,712.37
Gold coin	1,812.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	1,571.90
National bank notes and other U. S. Notes	20.00
Total	\$60,751.09

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$11,000.00
Surplus fund	1,100.
Undivided profits, less current expenses and tax paid	439.07
Time certificates of deposit	23,401.70
Deposits subject to check	25,360.73
Cashier's ck's outstanding	449.59
Total	\$60,751.09

State of North Carolina, Watauga county, ss: I, G. P. Hagaman, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. P. Hagaman, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: J. W. Horton, W. C. Coffey, W. L. Hendrix Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of July, 1909.

W. R. GRAGG, Register of Deeds.

The Sanford Express says there will be an immense peach crop in that section. There were more early peaches raised this season than in several years, and they are of a good flavor. A good fruit crop means a great deal to any community in health as well as added wealth.—Henderson Gold leaf.

Lame shoulder is almost invariably caused by rheumatism of the muscles and yields quickly to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is not only prompt and effective, but in no way disagreeable to use. Sold by J. M. Hodges.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

To whom it may concern: The farmers of this county have been wanting a combination horse. I have recently purchased a Registered Fancy Boy Stallion—a fine saddle and driving horse. He is a rich dark bay, and weighs 1,220 pounds—eight years old, and nine-tenths of his foal are dark bays and have good saddle gages. The farmers of this mountain section could do no better than to breed to this horse. Come and see him. He will stand at the following places:
Todd, N. C., April 25, a. m., 26, p. m.
J. C. Ray's, April 27.
L. A. Greene's April 28.
Trade, Tenn., April 29 & 30th.
Sutherland, N. C., May 1.
Frank South's Tamarack, N. C., May 2.

A. W. RAY.
D. M. WINEBARGER, Groom.
April 29, 3 m.

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BANK REPORT.

Following is a report of the condition of the bank of Blowing Rock at Blowing Rock in the state of North Carolina, at the close of business June 23rd 1909:

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$14,794.20
Overdrafts secured	30.24
Overdrafts unsecured	11.90
Banking house	1,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,439.10
Due from b'ks and b'krs	5,416.75
Cash items	100.00
Gold coin	492.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	1,547.35
Expenses	3,041.23
Total	27,873.27

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$8,200.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	3,128.38
Time certificates of deposit	5,644.88
Deposits subject to check	9,821.00
Due to banks and bankers	1,000.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	79.01
Total	\$27,873.27

State of North Carolina, Watauga county, ss: I, G. M. Sudderth, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. M. SUDDERTH, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: C. J. Parlier, W. L. Holshouser, Esther Ransom Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1909:

J. B. CLARK, Notary Public.

A woman in Denver asserts that the craze for dress broke up as many homes as whiskey. This seems a good chance for the men to organize into bands to even up for women's societies that flit old booze.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Trouble Makers Ousted.

When a sufferer from stomach trouble takes Dr. King's New Life Pills, he's mighty glad to see his dyspepsia and indigestion fly, but more, he's tickled over his new, fine appetite, strong nerves, healthy vigor, all because stomach, liver and kidneys now work right, 25c at all druggists.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Watauga County, Superior Court, Fall term 1909. John Trexler, plaintiff, vs. Lelia Trexler, defendant. The defendant in the above entitled action will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court by John Trexler, the defendant, for the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between the said parties. The defendant will further take notice that she is required to be present and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff filed in this office, during the first three days of the term of the Superior Court to be held for the county of Watauga on the 13th day of Sept., 1909, or the relief demanded in the complaint will be granted. This June 7, 1909.
THOS BINGHAM, C. S. C.

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Suppose Bryan had been elected and cotton had gone down like it has what a howl would be going up from every "high tariff" man, as well as a great many others, and they should be swearing by all that is good and holy that Bryan was the cause of it. But as the other fellow got there, it seems to be all right, any old price will do.—Louisburg Times.

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Mrs. W. W. Gardner, of Paducah, Ky., tried Cardui and writes: "I think Cardui is just grand. I have been using it for eleven years. I am 48 years old and feel like a different woman, since I have been taking it. I used to suffer from bearing down pains, nervousness and sleeplessness, but now the pains are all gone and I sleep good. I highly recommend Cardui for young and old." Try it.

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FARMS FOR SALE

400 acres 11-4 miles from railroad depot for sale. This farm is practically level. Rich mulatto land. 150 acres in merchant timber. Fine road to town. Principal timber White, Black and Red Oaks. Some Hickory, Walnut and Poplar. 220 acres cleared and in cultivation. 70 acres rich creek bottom. This is the Hay Grain and Live Stock farm. Five-room frame dwelling and barns. The value of this farm is in the land timber, not in the buildings. Price, \$9,500.

If you are looking for first-class land, this farm will please you. Eighteen miles from Knoxville, Tenn., on main pike road. The road is now piked within two miles of the farm, and will soon be completed.

FINE 245-ACRE FARM.

This farm is situated on a public road, and is all fine wood land farming and about 50 to 60 acres creek bottom land. The farm has two-story six-room frame dwellings on it, and a large barn and log barn about 80 feet long. This is a fine grass farm and has abundance of hay and fine meadow land. One branch is on east side of farm and another branch on west side, and a fine cold spring near the dwelling running south. Farm being abundantly watered. Clear of stone and suitable for fine farming. 80 acres of fine white oak timber that is worth \$5,000. This is all fine blue grass land. Price on terms \$9,000.

Also 80 acres of fine creek bottom farm adjoining the 255-acre farm, making in all a farm of 325 acres. Price for the two farms, \$12,000.

75-ACRE FARM FOR \$2,000.

The farm is situated 5 miles of Morristown on first class 4-room house, branch through farm. Young orchard. 3-4 mile from flouring mill store, rural mail route. 3 miles Russellville, Tenn., a railroad town. This is all rolling land, you can run a binder over every field. The soil is red clay and thick loam, about 10 acres in timber. Title perfect. Possession at once. If taken now we will sell the above farm and \$500 worth of property for \$2,500. Cash down \$1,500; balance on time and terms.

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